

PATENT APPLICATION

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In re Application of:) : Examiner: M. E. Wallerson	2-10-04
NAOKI TSUCHITOI ET AL.)	want
Appln. No.: 09/470,206	: Group Art Unit: 2626	

Filed: December 22, 1999

For: PRINT CONTROL APPARATUS,

PRINT CONTROL METHOD, MEMORY MEDIUM FOR STORING PRINT CONTROL PROGRAM, AND PRINT

CONTROL PROGRAM January 26, 2004

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AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 26, 2003, Applicants petition to extend the time for response to January 26, 2004. A check in the amount of \$110.00 in payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee and credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account 06-1205.

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January 26, 2004 Date of Signature In response to that Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows. Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing beginning on page 3, and the Remarks begin on page 35.